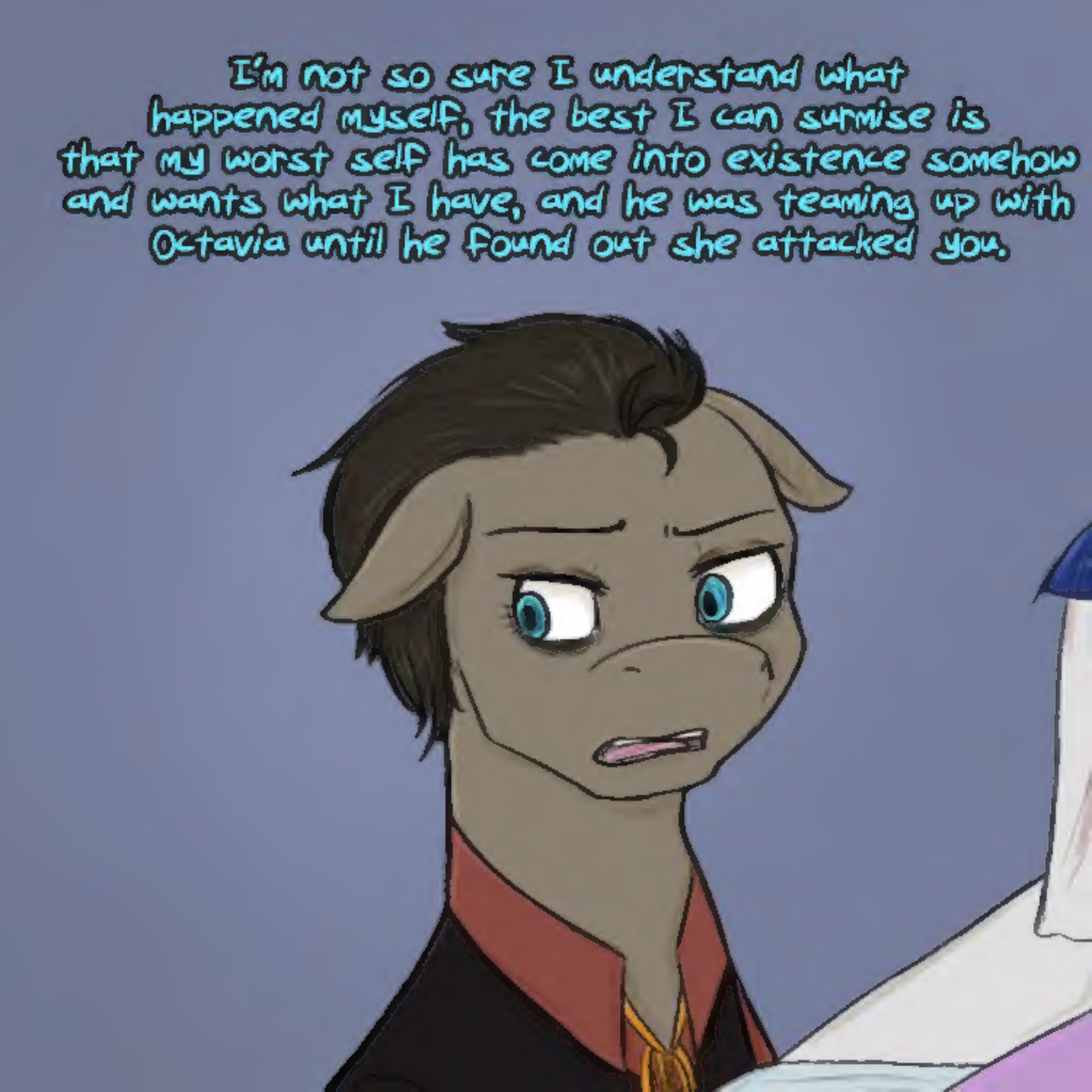
fe26eagle asked:

No time to think about the Valeyard, prioritize Twilight

Twilight, thank goodness...

Warden and Jack!

I didn't see them, I only had time to get you out of there.
What happened? I just remember Octavia attacking, trying to get the TARDIS...


I'm not so sure I understand what happened myself, the best I can surmise is that my worst self has come into existence somehow and wants what I have, and he was teaming up with Octavia until he found out she attacked you.

... Why were you with Warden and... Jack?
I'm sorry Doctor, it's complicated. But I'm doing what I need to do for yours and the world's sake.

coolsouleater20 asked:
Becareful doctor if the master got torchwood and derpy to work with him I hate to see your reaction if twilight was helping him

Listen. I'm letting this go, and I'll drop you off wherever you need to be since your wound should be healed up by now. But I don't know when or if I'll see you again. I'm getting dangerous feelings around you and I don't want to do the unthinkable. I'm leaving things in more capable hands.

Doctor... Please take the time you need, but don't give up. I promise you that I'm making so much progress to help you, and you need to trust that I'm doing everything with your best interest at heart.

I'm sorry, I don't really know how to respond to that. I want to hope but I give up being the one trying to fix things.
That's okay, as you said, you're leaving things in more capable... hands.

Anonymous asked

I think it's time to contact the others. We need backup, and immediate medical care

What happened, Twilight?! Where's Warden and Jack?

T=Twilight?

What's the emergency?

We were attacked...
The Doctor saved me but he didn't know about the others... We need to get to them as soon as possible. I think the threat is gone now but Warden needs immediate attention.

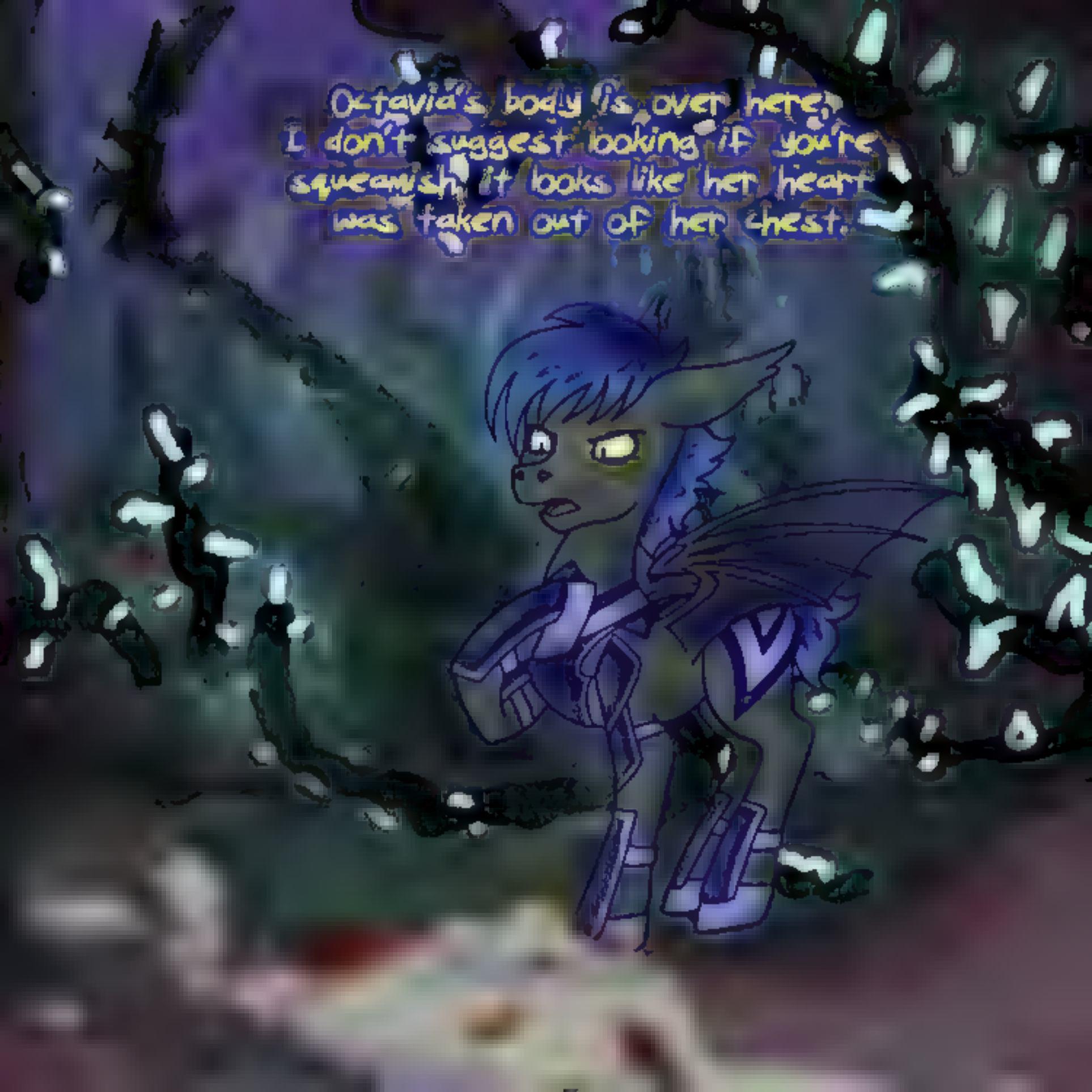
What happened to him?!

There's there's no
nice way of telling you this
He was slashed in the throat

Well don't waste any more time, let's go!

You'll need this, there's
also a couple of weapons
inside should you need them

I can smell blood.
I think we're almost where the Doctor found me


Octavia's body is over here, I don't suggest looking if you're squeamish, it looks like her heart was taken out of her chest.

Further ahead is where
we were attacked...

Warden!

Warden please
please please
hang in there!

Th-there's no pulse and
he's starting to feel cold

Big brother!!!

I'm so sorry, Derpy...
There was nothing I could do,
it all happened so fast...
He was a
good officer...

Anonymous asked:
Um what about Jack? I assume Warden is already dead, and while Jack can't die it's been demonstrated before that he can be taken hostage

Then it's up to us to find him.

GASP!

I would say I'm sorry first. I had to keep killing you until I found a place to store you, but I'm really not. Your existence is vile.
Doctor...?

Anonymous asked:
Scene Change
Enter Va eyard
No. I am
The Valeyard, the
part of the Doctor
that has no fear
or guilt. And
you may have
something
I want.

Anonymous asked
I th'nk it's finally time to say hello to the Valeyard.. Long time no see, how has life been with Octavia? :)
I don't understand, are you the Doctor's future?
Psh, I am my own being, separated from his body.
I hunted down my target in the time vortex to form a metachrisis and became so much more... yet so much less... Octavia's mind and mortality infected me.

cuthbert65 asked:
The perfect ingredients for an instantaneous biological meta crisis.
I am no longer a Time Lord, but an abomination between that and a pony. No longer granted the gift of regeneration, stuck with half a mind obsessed with power and glory and the thrill of violence.
But I am also a man who takes [illegible] no fear.

I will take what the Doctor doesn't deserve. His lives if he has any left and his TARDIS.

I'm going to figure out what makes you tick, because if I can't get new regenerations then my second plan is to become an immortal. I will not die in this disgusting body with its one heart.

You'll probably die
before you'd ever
unlock my secrets.

Not as many times as you will, my lowly test subject.

I DO NOT THINK THEY'RE
GONNA BE OKAY.

Don't worry. Lucky is tracking the group and they're almost back.

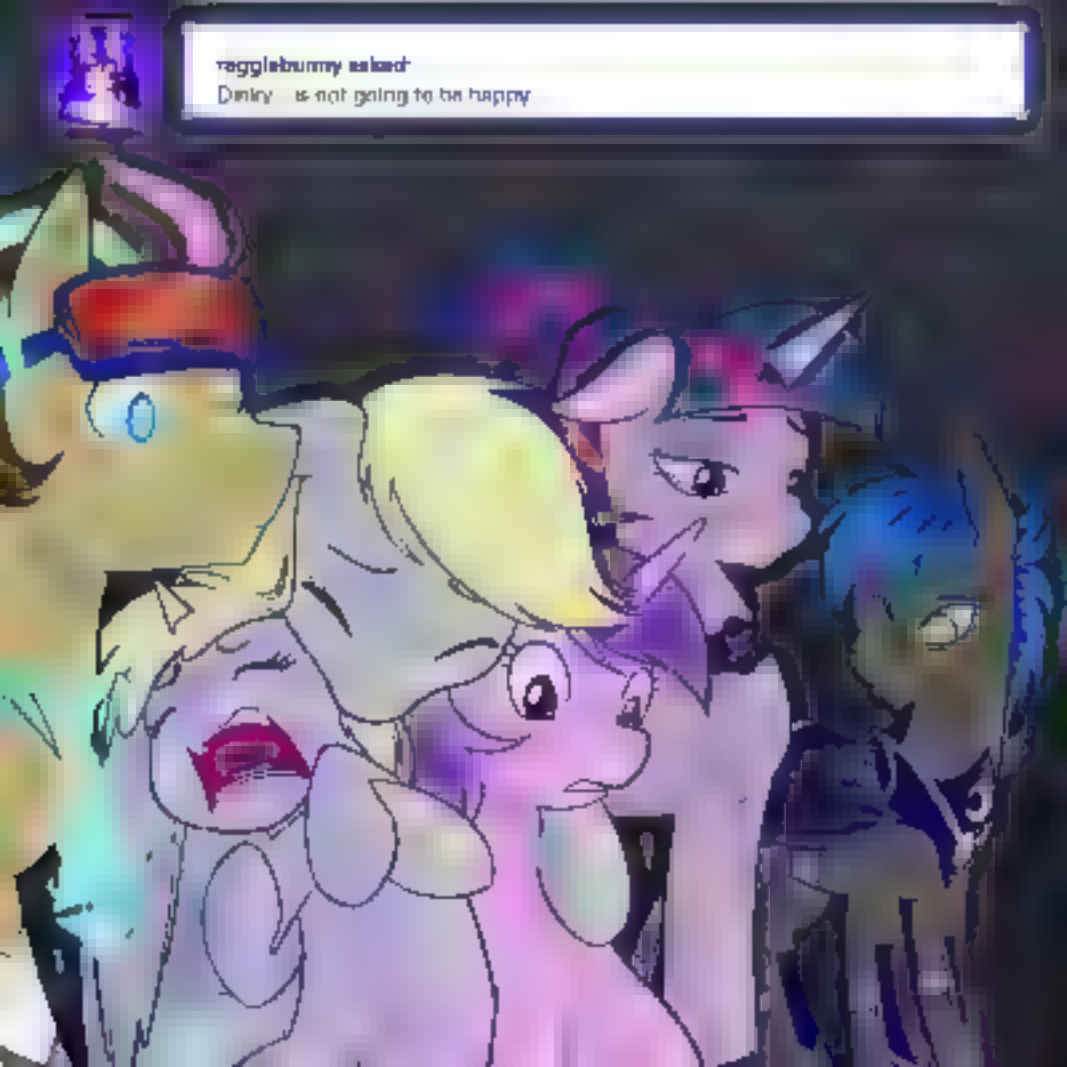
Mama!

Name's Wizz -
the Blanket Wizz -
Warden and Co.

Girls there's no nice way
of putting this.. Uncle Warden
is gone, he died.

puzzlingfrost asked:

Is warden dead? I wonder how Derpy, Dinky, and Sparkler will take that news?


reggiebunny asked:
Dinky... is not going to be happy

Anonymous said
The valeyard, somewhere between your 12th and final incarnations, your worst the worst The eye of Apollo is watching my doctor and the time has come for it's awakening!
How... How did this even happen? It can't be possible, can it? Is he from my future? No, no I don't think so, he's something else...

the-mysticandmodern-world asked
I have a possible theory of what Hyde is. Remember the title the doctor had in past. A certain title he was given by those who feared him. The title I'm referring too is The Valevard. Could it be that once The Doctor was infected by discord curse, Hyde came to life as form of a personified version of, The Valeyard?
If 'Hyde' could take on an identity seperated from mine, I'd have no doubt he'd take on the title of The Valeyard..

Anonymous asked
If Discord came from the Master s madness. One can only imagine what all that energy and wings will create. Someone us asks may have been waiting to see for quite some time

cg-hardy asked:
That's a lot of gold dust coming out of Ananta .. what was it for?

Gold dust... if that came out of me, it could have been from my body purging the sickness the only way it knew how, through regenerative energy. If all that regenerative energy were to come in contact with the right things under the right conditions then...

nealend asked
You remember how your hand regenerated into a clone of you? Is it possible for your torn off wings to do something similar with all the chaos energy left in them?
... Dammit... A metacrisis, of course... It must have happened with Octavia...

Anonymous asked

what is a meta-crisis ?

A metacrisis is when circumstances cause a time lord to hybridize with another species, which can happen in a number of ways. In this case, the regenerative energy got mixed in with my torn off wings, and they must have found Octavia somehow to split the DNA between them.

I'm surprised she was still alive after a metastasis. I wonder if pony magic enables them to hold together better... I don't imagine her being very stable though.

I shouldn't get involved in this.
I can't get involved. But someone should,
and I can't believe I'm saying this but
The Master is the best bet. Besides,
this is his mess, he should clean it up.

I will give him the information. One moment please.

Sssooo can you tell me what he's been up to?
If it will keep you occupied...

The Master has taken a great deal of time visiting other universes in his pursuit of knowledge. He remains as calm and positive as can be expected. In his mind, there must be a solution out there. Creation is infinite.

Once he established this iteration of Torchwood, he began working in earnest to close off interuniversal portals and thus the leaks. He is staunching the wounds.

The Master has also gone to the changelings during this time, and it will be to your great benefit if you were to brace yourself. That storm is not nearly over.

And finally, he was killed by the changeling queen and has regenerated. The world is cruel, and he continues to bear the brunt of cruelty's punishments.

Once again, he's sacrificed for you.
And you got your wish, he lost his happy ending trying to secure yours.

... And... and how is he now? I mean, is he still... You know, on the more morally good side?

That is a strange way to ask if he is still doing what you would want him to do. But yes, he is still dedicated wholly to this universe and focuses on what is best.

Anonymous asked:
What he's been up to? He ignored your advice regarding the changelings then went and got himself k lled
So he's a new master now... Well... That will be... interesting to see...

Is that all
You have to say?
After all he's done for you,
this is all you can
muster for him?

Look, it shocks me, but you can't blame me here. I did warn him not to go to the changelings. I just I don't have the capacity to care what he might be going through. The sooner he fixes this, the sooner I might.

Anonymous asked:
The vale what?
The Valeyard, someone I encountered a long time ago in a past life. Someone who once was me, but lost his good morality and became obsessed with finding a way to separate himself from my lives as The Doctor and become his own being.

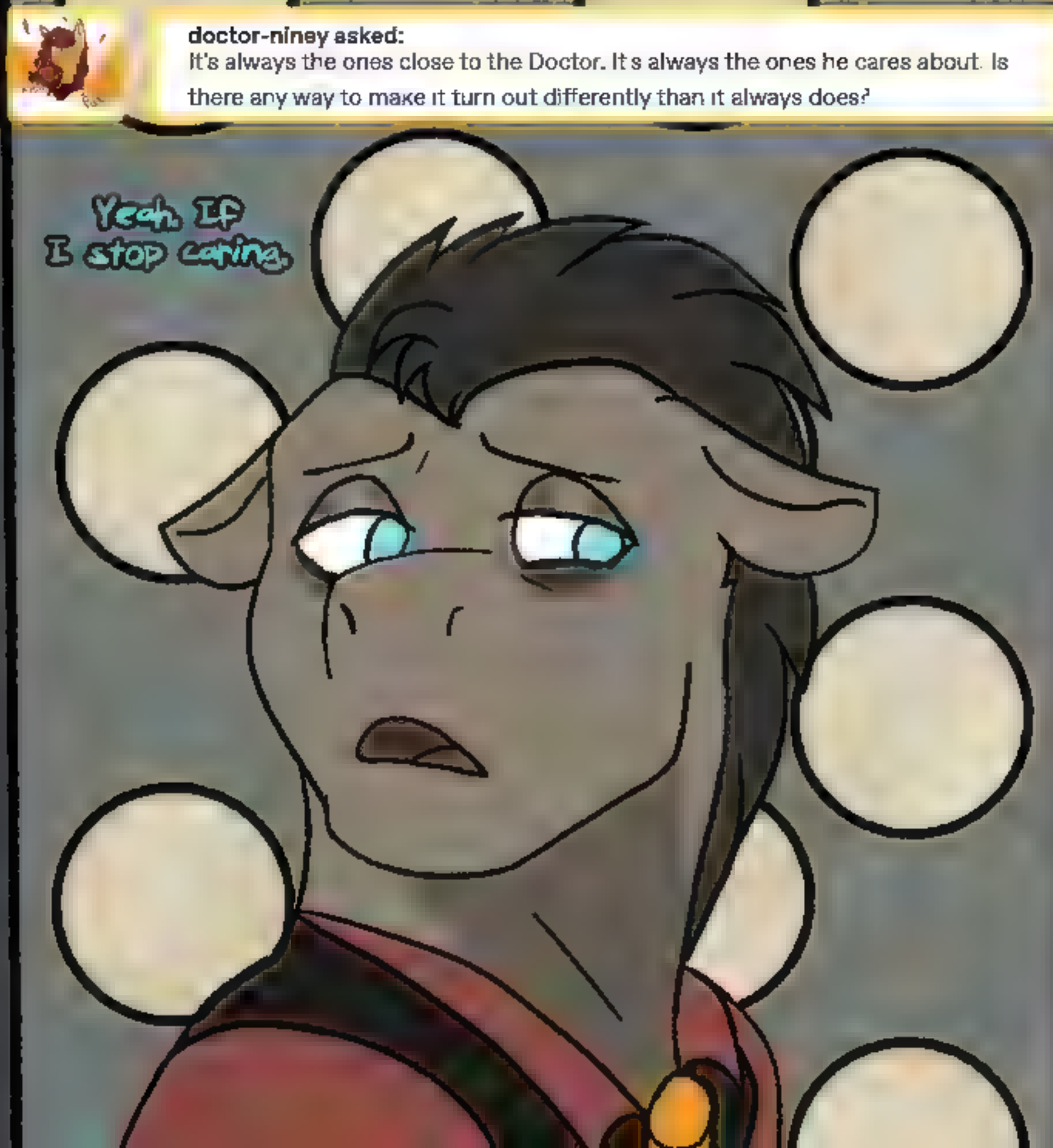
Anonymous asked:
Welp. Looks like we found the Unicorn Killer.
Well THAT'S a detail I didn't know... So he's been collecting horns for power, no doubt.

Anonymous asked:
Wooow the killer was the Vaeyard the whole time?? Who wouldge of known? If only you had a bunch of disembodied voices harp on you about the importance of the killer or something..
I'm sorry but I literally had nothing to connect the killer to me or my business!

crisscross-batter-and-puppeteer asked:
The Valeyard spared Twilight? I can safely say I didn't see that coming Even the worst version of you still loves her
That... Did surprise me, yes, but I don't think it's love for him.

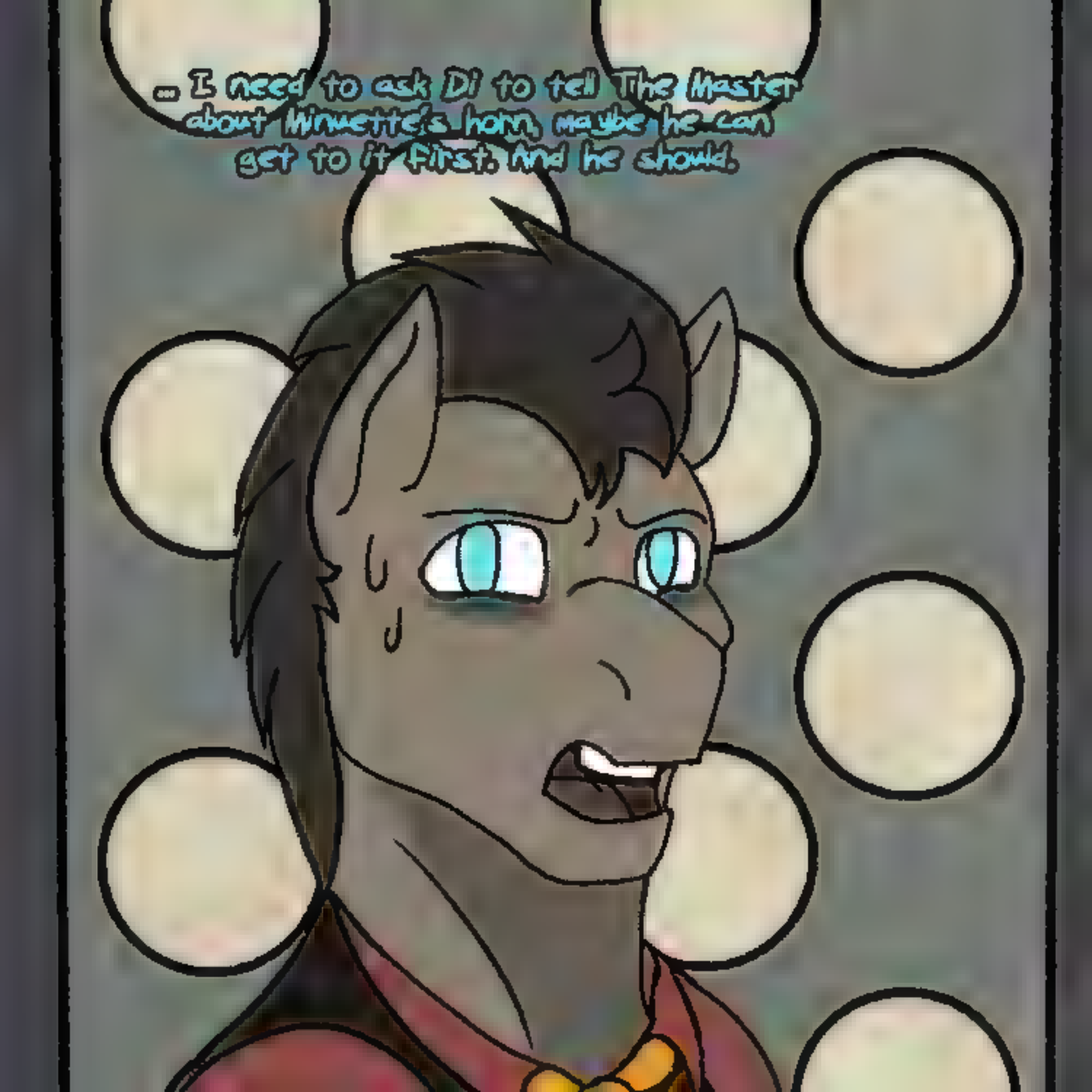
I think it's an obsession, as if she were a precious possession.

If he spared her, that only might mean he'll try to take her as his own in the future.


doctor-niney asked:
It's always the ones close to the Doctor. It's always the ones he cares about. Is there any way to make it turn out differently than it always does?
Yeah. If I stop caring.

Anonymous asked
I'm worried if the unicorn killer gets their hands on Minuette's horn. She is a time pony after all. So the horn of a Time Pony must be pretty powerful
Now see, if you had said this before I would have just thought "what does a random killer know about the time vortex?"

But since it's him, he would know about it...
He'd just need some way to access the vortex and summon something from it.


... I need to ask Di to tell The Master about Minuette's horn, maybe he can get to it first. And he should.

Anonymous asked
Are you sure it's a good idea to be ta king about the Master like that in front of Di?
She's definitely not happy about it but I don't really think I've seen her happy about anything.

Anonymous asked:
You sound more like him than he does
Well this curse does come from a being formulated by his madness, it would only make sense that I'd start sounding like him.

Anonymous asked:
For someone who insists on calling himself the Doctor, you can be incredibly cruel

Anonymous asked
Let's face it, Doctor. I don't think either of you were really meant to have a happy ending. Hell, you could argue that you were never meant to have an ending at all. It's like you guys are just not allowed to stop existing for some reason
It does feel like we'll last forever, doesn't it? Nothing can keep us dead... Even now when I have this desire for things to end, I still want to keep going to spite it.

Anonymous asked:
What about Patience? Was she not meant to have a happy ending either? Does any Time Lord deserve a happy ending? Or a means to an ending at all?

Anonymous asked
Doc, do you really think *anyone* is "meant" to have a happy ending? People work for what they can and are still deprived by happenstance The best person can have the worst end and vice versa It's what you do before the end that counts. After, nothing matters anyway but memories.

Anonymous asked:

> feel like the fact that the Master is still trying to do good and be a better person shows that there was more to his change than just Minuette

crisscross-batter-and-puppeteer asked:
Doc, it's not fair of you to say the Master has never known pain, and you know it. He knew pain before Minuette. Don't forget, you once brought this man to his knees with a simple, "I forgive you."
That was pain for his own sake. That was the only pain he knew how to feel, if it revolved around himself. He never felt pain from the genuine love and care of another.

Anonymous asked:
If the Master is capable of experiencing genuine love and pain, doesn't that mean that he is capable of genuine change as well? If everyone is so adamant that you can get better, then there's no reason why he can't as well

Anonymous asked:
So, the Master finally understands things like love, pain, and loss. Now what? You don't need to stop hating him or even believe he can change, but is there any harm in giving him a chance to try?

All I can do is leave everything in his hands. I have to try to believe against everything that he'll be the one saving the universe this time, not me.

Anonymous asked

A question we've been dying to ask, how is George doing?

Anonymous asked:
Ananta said that she was the gateway that allows us to speak to you. She is gone, yet we still speak to you. Is some part of her still alive out there making our communication possible? Is the signal dying and that is why our questions have been lagging behind, showing us having no reaction to events until long after they've happened?

I think the questions have to be processed through Di now before they get to me. They're more carefully screened that way so there are less risks. But yes, that does cause some delay, unfortunately.

Anonymous asked:
Why does putting your Tardis in power save mode make her go back to that specific theme?

Because it's the default. She has all her memory storage but she's using the bare minimum to function, so no extra fancy rooms or spectacular desktop themes.

Anonymous asked:

Say, I wonder if Di could assist with repairing your TARDIS, Doctor

Yes, that's what she's been doing. She's been... teaching me a few things I should have known about maintaining a TARDIS that I admittedly tried to learn by experience rather than study.

Anonymous asked

What's with the different outfit?

meowiemari asked:

What will you be doing now at the moment Doc?

I'm trying not to go insane as I wait for progress to happen. Just occupying myself however I can. I get the occasional little update from Di but not much, to avoid causing me too much stress.

Anonymous said
Maybe eating a pear would cheer you up? We haven't seen you eaten one in a long time

This brings little comfort.

reggiebunny asked:
Well, you seem to have tons of time to spare, maybe you should make a flow chart of events or something? Maybe you can't save the world but maybe you can help someone else do it.

I really should go over everything that's happened, shouldn't I? Well... I'll get to work on that, then.

shut-up-and-take-my-likes asked:
Derpy, you have my sincerest condolences.
Th- thank you...
I'm still trying to process that this even happened.

ss117 asked
Derpy, don't blame the Doctor for not saving Warden, he didn't know him or Jack was there. He was just responding to Twilights distress beacon. I'm sure he wouldn't have left then to die

I. I know in his right mind The Doctor would have never abandoned them but with the way he is now it's hard to say. I don't blame him though I blame the one with the knife. It was probably already too late for the Doctor to help even if he wanted to

maulad asked:
Soo..How's Derpy's Parents? I Feel like we didn't see them for an long time. I Wonder if they are ok during these hard times .(

Anonymous asked:
I'm so sorry, Derpy. What... are you going to tell his... *your* parents? Where to start even with all that. Is there any Torchwood protocol that forbids to do so? They deserve to say their goodbyes as well...

They're behind the safety barriers with the Princesses. They plan on holding their own funeral for me since they couldn't come to the one we had.

Didn't get assigned to me or otherwise. His skills as a necromancer are useful.

maulad asked:
I Think is best for Derpy to stay with her parents at this moment. While the others think of how to find Jack.

I can't do that. I need to be here with Torchwood. I need to help the Doctor. I'd be useless with my parents

Anonymous asked

You don't want the kids to know anything about what's going on?

I've tried to explain the situation as best as I can but the girls don't understand the concept and scale of war Even death is a very new concept for them they're still trying to process Warden

Anonymous asked
Did you ever tell your daughters that Discord is influencing the Doctor? If you don't, then it'll cause a misunderstanding.
I've told them that he's being controlled by something evil, but I think Dinky believes he's not fighting it enough. She really looked up to him. She wanted to be like him

Anonymous asked:
Maybe it would be a good idea to try explaining to Sparkler and Dinky what's actually wrong with the Doctor. He isn't in control of himself or his actions, and it's important for them to know that.

Just like war it's a hard concept for them to grasp I'm sure they'll understand in time. hopefully when this is all over and everything goes back to normal.

ss117 asked

Derpy, while I assume the Valeyard killing Octavia is a fixed point in time, does that mean Warden may not be?

I. I don't know. But maybe it's possible. Maybe. Maybe when this timeline is fixed. Warden will be okay. Like none of this happened. I. I really hope so.

Anonymous asked
Seeing if the doctors love could be resparked by the changelings is a great idea! Maybe send ditzy instead since she knows and has friendship with them?
Derpy, I'm going to search for Jack with Neo and Twilight. In the meantime, do you think you could go to the changelings and ask them for help with the Doctor? Take Tick Tock with you for safety.

That's a great idea
surely they should have love
to spare now...!

Anonymous asked:
Perhaps it's not wise to run after Jack without a plan. What took him isn't exactly friendly
Are you certain you have the strength to fight if need be, Twilight?
I've had enough time to recover my magic now.

But I'm not sure if I can keep it that way because I might need to use a lot of energy to cast a tracking spell for Jack.

Anonymous asked:
Is it possible to scan for Jacks energy signature? With his element connection, his immortality, and his vortex manipulator, there must be something that's detectable
Oh, there's no need for that. I've taken many MANY scans of him and researched plenty of samples. I can track him by the chaos energy inside him, it's unique to each individual that's infected.

You're a lifesaver, Neo. This might be easier than I thought it would be.
Finding him might be the easiest part, but rescuing will probably be the hardest

Detecting chaos signature…

Northwest, approximately
four hours at a steady pace.

I bet I can fly us there faster and safer.
Flight would indeed cut down the time significantly.

Aren't these usually pulled by two guards?
I'm stronger than your average guard.

Anonymous asked
Torin, it's time you explained everything. They need to know.
So when are you going to tell Dergy and Jack that you were actually The Master?
Yeah, I don't like all these secrets.

I keep thinking 'soon'
but soon never really comes
for some reason.

Well maybe if you figure out that reason, it will.
Ever the wise one.
Princess of Friendship, remember?

When empathy comes easily, it's harder to take sometimes. Derpy has been through so much, it feels like I'd just be piling more on top.

And Jack's loyalty is all screwy because of the curse, he might react poorly to feeling lied to. He never really trusted me as The Master but he trusts me now, as Torin.

Honestly I think he'd be more mad at how long you took to tell him rather than the fact that you lied to him.
Maybe...

And Derpy. I think maybe she feels like she lost her friend Professor Pace, and she's lost a lot.
You should show her you're still here and you still want to be her friend. She's a very forgiving pony, you should know that.

Yes, Derpy is Kindness after all!
If it weren't for her I would have been fried toast!

What would be the best way to tell them? I go over in my head all the scenarios and nothing seems just right.

I think with Jack, you should have someone else tell him just in case he has a poor reaction from the curse. That or have someone else there to hold him back. As for Derpy, you tell her gently face to face and reassure her you still share those memories with her.

Things feel like they're coming to a climax here, so I don't think I have a choice but to tell them once we get Jack back.

Anonymous asked
Be careful, Derpy The changelings might not be so trusting, due to a recent encounter they had with an old enemy

Oh, the Doctor's companion Derpy, right?
That's right

You're here about the Doctor's love, aren't you?
That obvious huh?

Come, I'll take you to the Queens.

We were expecting you.
You were?

An old oppressor came to us asking to aid The Doctor, but I banished him from the Fae realm. We assumed if he truly wanted to help the Doctor he'd send someone more suitable to us.

oppressor? I don't think I was sent by anypony like that... He's a friend. at least I'm pretty sure he is.
Oberon is very deceptive. he charms and bewitches, then destroys.

I'm sure this is just a coincidence anyway can you help the Doctor?

We've been growing this special fruit with any love we have to spare. If he eats the whole thing, he should start feeling like his old self again. It's kept alive by magic so it won't rot.

This- This is amazing! Finally. Finally I can say with some certainty that there is still hope for The Doctor.

Anonymous asked:
This feels too easy... Derpy, you and the others have to guard that fruit with your LIVES There's no telling what Discord and some other fiends could be up to. The Doctor might not even trust it.
Don't worry. I'll keep it locked in a safe place here in Torchwood.
Well, hope fruit. You're the best hope we've got.

What's
that noise?

This is what's supposed to let the Doctor feel love again. All he has to do is eat it.

Dinky

I know I have to be careful about how it gets to him, but I'm sure he could be convinced with the right persuasion... He has lots of friends now who want to help him.

If you knew him like I did, you'd understand. You haven't known him for very long, so you don't know all the good he's done or who he really is. If you did, you'd know that what he is now isn't him, and he'd never want to be that way.

Because he meant everything to me, and I see now he needs me more than ever. I have to hope that you girls will get to see the real Doctor, and not this monster being puppeted by an evil mastermind. So please, if you can't believe in him, believe in me...

You can do it, mama!

I wish we had a
better place to sit and
talk but this is the
best we can do

I know you're feeling really angry right now, about the Doctor, me, now Warden... There's a lot going on that you can't control and it seems like the whole world is falling apart.

I just want you to know I'm here for you, and it's okay to be angry but don't think that this is all life is. I promise there's so much good to life when it goes the way it should.

I remember
You protecting me
really well before
And then there's
all the friends I've
made here. they're
looking out for
me too.

I know it's hard to see on the outside but I'm a lot stronger than I was before, I've come a long way and I won't let the Doctor hurt me again.

Warden taught me how to kick butt, remember?

I promise.

It's okay...
You don't need to be,
not right now...

Anonymous asked:
Wearing an outfit so you don't have to look at your scars, Doctor? You're just running away. That's all it is you do. Remember that.
I hope it didn't take you this long to figure that out.

Anonymous asked:
have you ever thought about how the curse makes you react to derpy? could it be a situation similar to the Master? Discord trying to weaken and destroy that relationship specifically

Maybe it is the curse, but that fact doesn't stop me from feeling the way I do about her. Take care of her I told myself, as if there were any chance left to do that after everything I've done to her.
It's too late. I failed.

Anonymous asked
Couldn't you just choose to not blow the bubbles? Like at all? Are fate and destiny that strong of a concept? I know everything else has happened so far, like losing your wings, but the bubble blowing is entirely your choice in the end
I can choose to delay doing it but because I saw myself in that moment, I will have to do it eventually for whatever reason. It's not about destiny, it's about completing the paradox.

ss117 asked:
Doctor, you did wonderfully with Twilight! You recognized that you were feeling dangerous thoughts and made the choice to step back and let her do what had to be done. It's a huge step and you should be proud!
It took a lot of willpower to hold back my anger, but once I did I just felt like giving up, and letting her go. If I did anything to hurt her, I know I'd be lost forever.

93chowo asked:
You re not alone Doctor and I think as long as one person believes in you there is still hope. "Strength doesn t go away, you only forget that you have it" as a friend of mine once said You might be broken but you re still standing which shows that you have some fighting sp rit left in you!
I'm not sure if what I'm doing right now is fighting. It's more like laying down and just letting things happen instead of trying to fix things.

ss117 asked:
Have you been continuing to write letters like Patience had suggested? Or has it only been to the Master as of now? It may be worth asking for more paper and pens if you haven't been given any. You have the time for it at least.
I'm not in as good of a state as I was when I tried writing letters before, but maybe I could write some vent letters just to get the nasty feelings out. Might do me some good.

Hmm...

-SCRIBBLE
SCRITCH-

Mm, of course.
An abandoned industrial district. A villain cliche if I ever saw one.

He's not far.
I should be able
to locate him.

Everyone be on guard. The Valeyard could have tricks up his sleeves. I'm sure he knows we'd come looking.

He's about 50 feet down, we'll have to find the way down there.

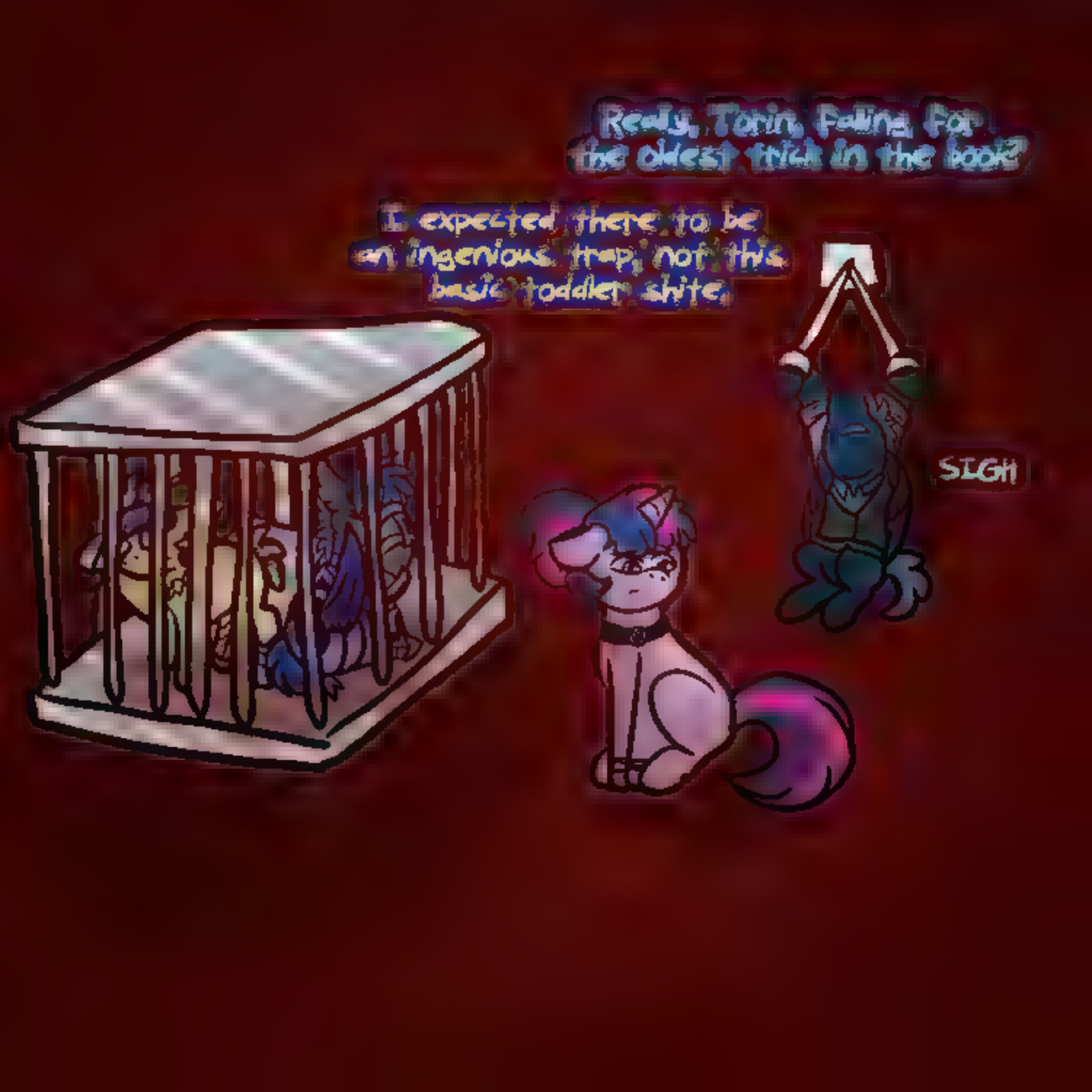
Seems a good start.
This should be easy peasy.

FFFSSSSSS

In there...
I don't detect
anyone but Jack
in there.

Step back!

Ach! What next,
a tank of hungry sharks?
A doomsday button?


Really, Torin, falling for the oldest trick in the book?
I expected there to be an ingenious trap, not this basic toddler shite.
SIGH

I wouldn't be so sure of that, these bars have an enchantment on them to make them stronger and heavier. They also cancel out the magic of anyone trapped in here.

So I just need to disenchant them

He used a crown of horns to enhance it, seemed like pretty powerful stuff.

We'll see just how powerful it is.

See? That was nothing.
Well I'll be darned.

Really glad you got me out of there. He was starting to get pretty creative with his torture methods. One time he buried right up into my guts so I couldn't heal properly.

Do you know why he left you alone like that?
He'd just leave sometimes, I have no idea.

The guy's desperate not to die, and he thinks he can take over the universe.
Well not if we can help it.

I think this is it.
What?
What do you mean?

I think we all need to come together to help The Doctor so we can stop Discord and The Valeyard.
We don't have time for searching out the rest of the Elements one by one, we just have to trust that they'll all be there.

So you mean... This is finally where we take everything we've learned, and give him a proper intervention?

Exactly... At this point it's now or never.

You're right. I don't think there will be a better time to do this.

We just have to let everyone at Torchwood know, and prepare for it.

And I guess I have certain things to share when we get back as well.

I know things are moving really fast right now, and I'm only going to add to it. But I don't think I'll have another chance to do this.

First, just know,
the me you know now
is who I am. But it's
not who I always was.

I'm much more important to this mission than I've been letting on. More important to the Doctor. And I know I'm part of the key to fixing this.

darkraimaster12 asked
If only there were a Pony who had lots of memories of him, right just before he was the Doctor but also AS the Doctor. But, for someone to be capable of that they'd have to be functionally immortal and at least hundres of years old. Not to mention someone willing to do whatever it takes to complete a mission. Someone who would rather die than let their enemies be compromised? Someone who continues fighting even after he's given everything including his life, many times over?
I was The Master, the Doctor's best friend and greatest enemy. And I've been doing everything I can in the background to set things right. But I can't be in the background any more.

reggiebunny asked:
How are you going to tell Jack the truth, Torin?
I know this is probably upsetting, but I had to—

THUD

Anonymous asked
So, Jack. Did you know that Torin was really the Master's future self?
Yeah... Yeah I deserved that.
Damn right you did!

Okaaay, now that we got that out of our system, let's relax and try to look at the silver linings.

I wish you told me sooner. Things might have turned out differently.

You've been helping so much, you must be exhausted.

hqluvvr asked:
You're such a kind soul to the Master Derpy
So. This is twice now a friend of mine turned out to be the Doctor's worst enemy...

I know, and I'm really sorry about that. The first time wasn't a deception but this time I knowingly kept it from you. I just needed to keep my identity safe, in order to protect everyone else.

I'm not mad. I'm just kind of shocked and don't know what to think. You know the Doctor in a way no one else here does, and it sounds complicated.

If I had to put it into words, when we were kids, we were almost like siamese twins: couldn't have one without the other. As we got older, it was more like two brothers playing Buck Ball, competing over everything, but the love was still there. Then he took his granddaughter and his TARDIS and ran, and the Time Lords betrayed me. When we met that last time, it was more like a wounded animal asking a pony for help.

What he did didn't help, and drove a wedge in between us that worsened into a festering wound that never went away.
I became a cancer for him, hurting him in the worst ways I could.
In return, he became an infection in my wounds, keeping them blistered and bloody. They would never heal until I died, and came here.

Now, I don't know. I want him back in my life, not like we were children, we're far too different from each other for that to work now. But I miss the friendly competition, the un-serious arguments, and the laughter afterwards. I miss taking the piss out of his obsessions, while helping him fulfil them. I miss him blundering my projects, and then us working shoulder to shoulder to fix them. Does that make any sense?

Well, if you were like brothers it makes sense. Siblings fight all the time. And even if they grow up and don't get along any more, they can still long for that sibling bond even if it would never be like it was. It's harder when they've hurt each other. We've both hurt the Doctor, you way more than me... We need to show him we want to be there for him, that we don't want him hurting any more.

You knew what made
him tick, what got under his skin...
So what... What do you think I can say to him
to reach him? If I got the chance?

I can't say I'd know what to say, but I do know what you shouldn't say. It would not be a good time to profess your love, so even if you're feeling encouraged to, avoid it. This isn't a cinematic love story where a kiss breaks the spell, if anything it'd trigger the curse.

The thought crossed my mind once or twice but I know better than that. I know my love only really gave him pain..
I'm sure it did more for him than that.